HONGKONG, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1889...

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Banks.

NOTLOE DULES OF THE BUNGKUNG

N SAVINGS BANK 1. The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation; on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10

-Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 OFFICE.

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Coiporation on fixed deposit for 12 months 4. Interest at the rate of 35 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. 5. - Kash Depositor will be supplied gratia drawal. Depositors must not make Office of this Paper. any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be 330 written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-

ping of July: 6 .- Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Salings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent and the production of his Pass Book are necessary. For the

HONORUNG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPOBATION, G. E. NOBLE, Ohief Manager.

Hongkong, January 1, 1859 HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND,\$4,4 10,000

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N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits :-For 3 months, 3 per cent, per annum.

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LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredita granted on approve | Scourilles, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts pronted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, Chine and Japan.

G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manuager. Hongkong, August 24, 1889

Notice of Firm.

WA TSZ YAT PO. CHINESE MAIL.

THE present LEASE of the Chinese Mail EXPIRED on the 31st ultimo, after which date the INTEREST of the present LESSEE (Mr. Ho CHUNG SHANG) entirely CEASED. The Business is now conducted by . MOST EFFICIENT NATIVE STAFF, and Arrangements have been made which cannot fail to make the Paper in EVERY BENSE A FIRST-CLASS JOURNAL GEO. MURRAY BAIN,

Proprietor. 'OHINA MAIL' Office. September 1. 1889

No. 78, WYNDHAM STREET. DOARD AND RESIDENCE. COMFORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN. MODERATE TERMS. MRS. KJELLER.

Proprietress. Hongkong, July 15, 1889,

Intimations.

OF HONGKONG,

No. 618, 8.0. N Emergency MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE MARONS HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 28th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethner are

Hongkong, September 28, 1889.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF OANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the Sixteenth Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Society will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 10th October next, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with State. ment of Accounts for the year 1888 and for the half-year ending 30th June, 1889.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 10th October, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

Hongkong, September 27, 1889. NOTICE.

N INTERIM DIVIDEND of 5 % for A the last Six Months, from lat March to 31st August, 1889, will be Payable at the H.K. & S. BANK on Int October proximo. DIVIDEND WARRANTS to be had at this

CRUICKSHANK & Co., LTD. JAS. STEPHEN. Acting General Manager. Hougkong, September 23, 1880.

VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOL. YOKOHAMA.

HIS SCHOOL, situated in a very healthy position on the BLUFF, prowith a Pass-Book which must be pre- vides good EDUCATION FOR BUYS from sented with each payment or wift. Stoil? Boarders taken. Prospectus with

> C. H. HINTON, M.A., Oxon, Head Master.



TONGKONG YOLUNTEER ARTICLERY.

The DEILL SEASON of the above Cones will Commonce on the 1st October.

Surgeon CANTLIB will attend at Head Quarters every FRIDAY EVENING, at 6 o'Clock, to inspect any GENTLEMEN wishing

Intending MEMBERS, on passing MEDICAL EXAMINATION, will be enrolled and passed

on to recruit DRILL AT ONCE. Any one who has previously been an officient MEMBER of a VOLUNTSER CORPS will not be required to drill until November, but it will be to the advantage of all such Now MEMBERS to ENROL as early as possible.

Expresses of Drills &c. will be issued

H. T. HAWKINS, Captain, R.A. Adjutant Hongkong Volf. Artillery. HEAD QUARTERS, Hongkong, September 26, 1889.

. LOST.

THE Undernoted 100 SHARES of the L Hongkong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, being the Property of the Undersigned, having been LOST, the Public are warned against negotiating same.

Perip No. Nos. of Shares. 1 B2091 3465/6, 4645/52 50 Shares. 21341/55 L MENDEL. 14389/92, 51692/712 10 Shares, 3280/3289 W. D. SPENCE

B2134 58909/28; 57342/40 25 Shares. 1406/10 W.D. SPENCE 15 Shares, B2269 27918/27932 W. H. GASKELL

The TRANSFER of these SHARES has been STOPPED at the BANK. H. N. MODY. Hongkong, September 9, 1889.

CHOOTING GALLERY. No. 35, WELLINGTON STREET, under the Union CLUB.

Opened from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and from . 3 to 12 p.m. Hongkong, September 9, 1889.

WINDSOR HOUSE, HONGKONG.

No. 8, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL: PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE, FAMILY HOTEL

This ESTABLISHMENT is situated in a most central position, opposite the Telegraph Office and two doors from the Chartered Bank. It offers Frest-CLASS ACCOMMODA-TION to RESIDENTS and TRAVELLERS, has to the Undersigned for countersignature, a Spacious Divino Room, and a large number of well FURNISHED BED-ROOMS with all comforts. A Good Table kept. ABLE D'HOTE: Breakfast, 8.30 a.m.; Tiffin, 1 p m.; Dinner, 7.30 p.m. BOARD by the Month, Day, or Single Mosls, at reasonable rates. ABRANCEMENTS CAN BE MADE TO BERVE

MEATS IN GENTLEMEN'S QUARTERS CONTINENTAL LANGUAGES SPOKEN. MRS. BOHM, Proprietrix.

Hongisong, August 31, 1860

Business Notices.

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HAVE RECEIVED THEIR NEW STOCK OF

VEGETABLE AND FLOWER SEEDS JUTTON'S SELECTED ENGLISH SEEDS, Handerson's TESTED NEW YORK SEEDS

Orders should be sent in ar once. Order Sheets sent on application.

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Established February,

Hongkong, September 2, 1889.

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A LARGE AND CHOICE SELECTION OF COATINGS FOR MORNING AND EVENING DRESS A very Stylish Lot of TWEEDS, New in Design and Material, and a varied Assortment of TROUSERING in all the Newsat Patterns. QUEEN'S ROAD (opposite HONGEONG HOTEL), Honkkong, September 14, 1889

Victoria Hotel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THE Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c, has recently blen much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horas in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most

confortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious. large Drama Hatt.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken: Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE.

Bougkong, September 16, 1885.

POWELL & Co.

New Goods, IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

VICTORIA EICHANGE, September 23, 1889.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Bellong, Captain HARSLOOP. having arrived from the above Ports Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take mmediate delivery of their Goods from Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-MORROW, the 24th Instant. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kow-LOON PIER AND GODOWN Co. and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left our Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th Inst. will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 29th Inst., at 4 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, September 23, 1889.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP PORT AUGUSTA, FROM VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA, KOBE & SHANGHAL

11HE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hougkong, September 24, 1889.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE THE Steamship Collingham, Capt. G. W.

Warson, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored

at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 1st October, or they will not be recognized,

RUSSELL & Co.

Notices to Consignees. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

W. POWELL & Co.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

TIHE Steamship Japan having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Hongkong and Kowloon WHIRF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 30th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been offected.

Consignoes are hereby informed, that all Claim's must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 28th Instant Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, September 23, 1889.

STEAMSHIP OXUS. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London C ex Steamblips Quadiana and Tamise, and from Havre ex Steamship Tamise, in connection with the above Steamer. are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of Oppum, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, Bowringtongschange delivery may

be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignous before Noon To-DAY (Thursday); requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-DAY, the 3rd October, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sont in to me on or before the 5th October (Saturday), or they will not be recognized. No Fire Instrance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkorg, September 26, 1889. 1860

Insurances.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

1HE Undersigned, Adams for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Ourrent Rates. NORTON & Co.,

Hougkong, July 16.

Business Notices.

CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

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NOVELTIES IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

Hongkong, September 26, 1889.

Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION .-

No. 401. OVERNMENT NOTIFICATION No. 392 of the 14th Instant is hereby cancelled, and the following is SUBSTITUTED in LIEU thereof.

By Command, ARATHOON SETH, for the Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

Hongkong, 21st September, 1889. 1850 Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 30th day of September, 1889, at 4.30 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for

a term of 999 years. Particulars of the Lot.

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The Government reserves the right of way throught his Lot as shown on the plan.

To Let.

TO LET. DOOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBEES." No. 9, SEYMOUR TERBACE.

Apply to DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1889.

TO LET. 2 ORQUID FLOOR of HOUSE No. 68, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL Apply to

No. 153, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, July 1, 1889. TO BROKERS AND OTHERS.

THREE ROOMS TO BE LET in

VICTORIA BUILDINGS, On Ground

LAI HING & Co.,

Floor and with Separate Entrance . at 845 month each. Apply to ARTHUR B. RODYK, 2. D'Aquilar Street:

Hongkong, August 27, 1889. TO LET. TTOUSE No. 2, SMITE'S VILLAS, Magazine Gap, a spacious Five-

ROOMED HOUSE, with Basement and Outhouse. Excellent view. Expected to be ready 1st August next. Apply to F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

Hongkong, July 2, 1889.

TO LET. THE TOP FLOOR of the Premines in ICE House Lank belonging to the HONEKONG TOR COMPANY, LIMITED, Suitable for OFFICES, Possession on 1st October,

Apply to the MANAGER at the DEFOR JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managera

Hongkong, August 27, 1889.

890 and taxes.

TO LET. (With Immediate Possession.) O. 4. QUEEN'S GAHDENS. Rent

Apply to G. C. ANDERSON. 13, Praya Central, Hongkong, May 21, 1889.

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

DESIDENTS in the Colony would materially aid the SENATE of the COLLEGE by forwarding to the Atlut MEMORIAL HOSPITAL Glass Jars (for museum purposes). (2). Illustrated Papers and Books for the Student's Reading Room and Library.

JAMES CANTLIB,

Hon. Bec. to the College.

Address to

For Sale. FOR SALE.

AT THE PEAK. TO ROCKHURST' and Surrounding The House which is substantially Built has recently been enlarged, and commands one of the Finest Views in the Colony. The Site is sufficiently large to allow a several other Houses being built thereon.

For full Particulars, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Shipping.

Steamers DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Hongkong, August 22, 1889.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship Hailoong,
Captain Goddard, will be Ports on SUNDAY, the 29th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, September 26, 1889. 1859

Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY. The Steamship Nauzing. Captain Thomson, will on MONDAY, the 30th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, September 27, 1889. THE CHINAM MANILA STEAMSHI

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. McCasin, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Port on MONDAY, the 30th Instant, at 4

General Managers. Hongkong, September 26, 1869.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship Chanasha. WILLIAMS, Commander, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 30th September.

The attention of Passengers is directed

to the Superior Accommodation offered by

this Steamer. First-class Saloun and Cabins

are situated forward of the Engines.

Second Class Passengers are berthed in the

Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. Hongkong, September 23, 1889. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Co.'s Stemaship

Captain Scale, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 80th Inst. Passengers for EUROPE desiring to proceed OVERLAND, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to MARSELLER (by Transallantio Company's express boats), and thence to

don occupies about the same time. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

PARIS or LONDON. Algiers is 28 hours

steam from Marseilles, and thence to Lon-

Hongkong, September 26, 1889. 1872 STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Perhawar,
Captain L. H. Moule, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mails. E. L. WOODIN; Superintendent,

P. & O. S. N. Oo.'s Office,

Hongkong, September 26, 1889,

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 1st Proximo, at Noon, instead of as previously

The Steamship,

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, September 24, 1889.

FOR SHANGHAI PTA AMOY. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Captain Barwise, will be The Co.'s Steamship TUESDAY, the let Prox.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hougkong, September 26, 1889. 1874

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Cyclops,
Captain Niss, will bir
clespatched as above on TUESDAY, the 1st Proximo. Passengers for EUROPE desiring to procood Oversand, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to MARSELLES (by Fransstlantic Company's express boats), and

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, September 28, 1889. 1873

FOR NEW YORK *VIA* SUEZ CANAL

The Steamship

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

thence to Pauls or LONDON. Algiers is 28

hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to

London occupies about the same time.

E. PORTER, Commander, will be despatched for e above Port on or about 1st October For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hougkong, September 18, 1889. 1819 FOR SINGAPORE HAVRE AND HAMBURGL

ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) The Steamship Capt. G. PETERSEN, will be despatched for the

above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd

(Taking Cargo at through rates to

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMESEN & Co. Hongkong, September 23, 1889. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-

October; at 10 a.m.

SAKI AND ROBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co. Steamship Kashoar. Captain W. L. BROWN, will leave for the above places on THURS-DAY, the 3rd October, at Daylight.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Offica, Hongkong, September 26, 1889. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LUMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN.

E, L. WOODIN

The Co.'s Steamship

Yuensana: Captain Spresan, will be despatched as above on or about the 10th October. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, September 26, 1889. 1861

General Managers.

STEAM TO LONDON (DIRECT), Calling at INTERMEDIATE PORTS. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
Bombay,
Captain S. Bason, will leave for the above places on TUESDAY, the 15th October, This Vessel is disconneoted from the Mail Services, but has ex-

rates. Electric Light, Deck Cabins. Suron carried, coo. Superintendent. & O. S. N. Co. 's Office.

cellent accommodation for through Pas-

sangers (First Saloon only) at reduced

Sailing Vessels.

Hongkong, Soptember 21, 1889

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L. I. 1 British Barque Robert S. Besnard, Andrews, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch,

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 12, 1880. 1775 FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship

and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, September 7, 1889,

For Freight, apply to

Harvest Queen,

E. A. FORSYTH, Master, will
load here for the above Port,

RUSSELL & Co.

Prospectus.

THE SUBSCRIPTION LIST WILL BE KEPT OPEN UNTIL THE ARRIVAL OF THE TONKIN MAIL PER 'CLARA."

THE HONGAY LIME AND CEMENT WORKS, LIMITED.

To BE INCORPORATED UNDER THE COM-PANIES' ORDINANCEH, 1864-1886.

DIVIDED INTO 50,000 SHARES OF SS KAUH,

Payable \$1 on Application, \$1 on Allotment. Balance as required at one month's Notice. One half of the Shares is held by the Directors and their friends and will be allotted in full : the Remainder are now offered for Public Subscription in Tonkin and Hong-

A. LIEBARD, Esq., of A. R. MARTY, Esq. H. F. HAYLLAR, Esq., C.E. C. GRANDJEAN, Esq. CHEONG KAI, Esq. -FUNG WA CHUN, Esq. LO TSUN HING, Esq. *A. B. RODYK, Esq. *O. VEZIN, Esq. *Join after Alletment ..

Bankers THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK COR-PORATION, LIMITED.

Solicitors: Messrs. CALDWELL AND WILKINSON, Hongkong; P. DEVAUX, Esq., Haiphoug. Consulting Engineer:

H. F. HAYLLAR, Esq. General Agent: Haiphong and Hongkoug. Secretary and Office: A. BARRETTO, Esq.,

2, D' Symilar, Street: PROSPECTUS. ITHIS Company is formed to purchase

liques et Produits Chimiques du Tonkin situated at Hongay. The property is held under a concession from the French Government and is of 60 admirably situated, having an approach oruge Cuatos. where vessels of any size can anchor easily. There is also a practically inexhaustible supply of time and other materials required for cement making on the spot. Coal, the principal item, is to be had near and cheap. As a matter of fact veins of coal have been discovered on the property to be purchased by this .Company. . It may be stated that the Charbonnages du Tonkin's property

is immediately opposite that of this Com-Highly satisfactory reports on the coment and hydraulic lime have been given by the · French Government, and local authorities here, and these can be seen at the offices, where samples also may be had. Samples are now being submitted to the Government for approval. Whilst this Cement is considered as good as that supplied by the Green Island Company, as regards cost it SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE.

is cheaper. The cost price is \$1.25 a cask in Haiphong and \$1.50 here. It can be sold in Indo China for about 85,20 a cask and in Hongkong at \$3.50.

Without taking into consideration the Hongkong market, there is consumed in Indo China alone, according to official reports, 22,000 casks per annum There are no legal objections to an Eng-

lish Company working the concession, with its Hoad office in this colony.

The purchase money has been fixed at \$83,000 of which \$25,000 is taken in shares. This includes a- large stock of raw material, coal, coment, lime and bricks. Should the Company at any time increase its capital, one fully paid up share is added to the purchase money for every ten shares issued. With the present capital the Company will be able to turn out 50,0 to casks of coment a year, as well as hydraulic lime, fire bricks &c., in large quantities. The following contracts have been enter-

(1.) Contract, dated 27th July 1886, butwoon C. VEZIN of the one part and ARTHUR B. RODYK of the other

(2.) Contract, dated 6th August 1880 between ARTHUR B. RODYK of the one part and J. A. BARRETTO as Trustee on behalf of the Company of the other part. These together with the Memorandum.

and Articles can be seen at the Solicifor's Applications for shares must be made on the printed form, and forwarded to the Bankers (where share forms may

obtained) together with the amount payable on application. Hongkong, September 20, 1889.

Intimations.

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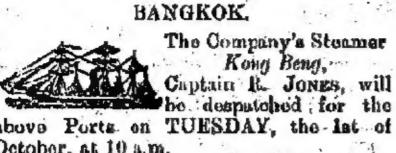
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Hongkong, May 1, 1880,

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Captain F. SPECK, wi leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 11th October, at Daylight.

E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

Hongkong, Soptember 28, 1389. PUBLIC AUCTION

OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS. EMBROIDERIES & CURIOS.

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A VERY FINE COLLECTION OF OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS

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DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, Ltd., HONGKONG.

Hongkong, September 28, 1889.

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REPORTER, American ship, Capt. G. P. Spalding, -Butterfield & Swire. ROBERT S. BESNARD, British ship, Capt. Andrews .- Adamson, Bell & Co. SATSUMA, British barque, Captain A. G. Swonsan, - Eduard Scholibess & Co.

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ARRIVALS. September 28, 1889 ;--

Namou, British steamer, 863, S. Ashton, Foochow Sept. 24, Amoy 25, and Swatow 27, General. - Douglas Spramship Co. Phu Quoc, French steamer, 183, Vallin,

Touron September 20, Coal, -WING TAL. Cyclops, British steamer, 1,313, H. Nish, Japan September 21, General. - BUTTER-PIELD & SWIRE Frejr, Danish steamer, 397, C. A. Lund, Pakhoi September 26, and Heihow 27,

Falkenburg, German str., 988, T. Bartels put back from sea, General. - MELCHERS & Marie, German str., 704, C. A. Hunde

General .-- ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

wadt, Haiphong Sept. 26, Rice and General. -A. R. MARTY. DEPARTURES. September 28

Ningpo, for Whampoa. Flintshire, for Cochin. Junista, for Shanghai. Guthrie for Port Darwin and Sydney. Arabic, for Amoy, Japan and San Francisco. Fushum, for Shanghai.

PASSE OF S Per Namon, from Coast Ports, Mr Suid-

ter, and 16 ! Chinese. Per Phit Quot, from Touron, 2 Chineso. Por ve ops, from Japan, Mr and Mrs Turbet and 2 children, Mr H. J. Scott, and Mr Denham ! from Shanghai, Mr and Mrs Thirkell and 2 children, and 340 Chinese. Por Freir, from Pakhoi, 40 Chinese. Por Marie, from Haiphong, Messre

Rodyk, Hayliar, Frazer, Imbert, Baduel,

and Mrs Baduel, and 111 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Arabic, for Yokohama, Messrs Nicolas Font and R. M. Roxs, and 1 Chinese; for San Francisco, Rev. J. M. and Mrs Court, and Lieut Hair.

Per Fushum, for Shanghai, 150 Chinese. TO DEPART Per Hailoong, for Swatow, 2 Europeans, and 250 Chinese. Per China, for Saigon, 150 Chinese. Per Nanshan, for Swatow, 100 Chinese.

Pur Johann, for Hothow & European

SHIPPING REPORTS

and 90 Chinese.

The British steamer Namoa reports: Left Fouchow on the 24th instant, and and experienced strong N.E. winds, with high cloudy weather to Amoy. Left Amoy on the 25th, and Smalow on the 27th; from Amov to Swatow, light variable winds, with passing showers ; from Swatow to port, light S.E. winds, with fine weather. In Foochow, steampre Flintshire, Haitan and Pechili. In Amoy, steamer Cyclops, and R. C. Ling Fing. In Swatow, steamer

Chintunu. The British steamer Cyclops reports Had fine weather. The German steamer Falkenhurg reports Exp rienced a typhoon in 18° 36 N., 110°

20 E. Ship making water, therefore put

EXPORT. CARGOES.

Per S. S. Belgic, sailed 11th September -For Kobe, 258 pkgs. Merchandise; for Yokohama, 2,166 bugs Sugar and £03 pkgs Merchandise; for San Francisco, 14,90 bage Rice, 220 bage Beans, 50 bags Sugar 523 baga Coffee, 21 baga White Pepper, 168 boxes Nut Oil, 27 boxes Prepared Opium, 33 cases Silks, 1,000 bales Hemp, 80 bales Gambier, 100 bales Cinnamou, 70 bales (Gunnies, 1,500 empty Quicksilver flasks and 5,393 pkgs. Merchandise; for Honolulu, 9 cases Merchandise; for Acapulco, I case Merchandise; for Acijutla, 9 cases Silks; for Champerico, 14 cases Silks; for La Libertad, 3 cases Silks; for Panama, 945 bags Rice, 415 pkys, Merchandise and 9 cases Silks; for Guayaquil, 4 cases Silks and 6 cases Merchandise; for Chicago, 146 pkgs. Merchandise : for Montreal, 1 case Silks : for New York, 3 pkgs. Matting, 31 cases Silks, 10 cases Raw Silk and 241 bales Raw

Por S. S. City of Peking, sailed 19th Sopt. -For Yokohama, 1,774 bags Rice and 343 pkgs. Merchandise; for Honolulu, 297 bags Beans, 135 bage Rice and 1,320 pkgs. Merchandise : for San Francisco, 10,700 bags Rice, 135 bags Beans, 50 boxes Nut Oil, 5 boxes Prepared Opium, 10 cases Silks, 500 bales Hemp, 283 bales Gunnies, 46 bales Canvas and 2,236 pkgs. Merchandise ; for San José de Guatemala, 3 cases Silks; for

Panama, 409 bage Rice, 71 pkgs. Merchandise and 3 pkgs. Silks; for Gunyaquil, 1 case Silks and 3 cases Morchandiso; for Callao, 5 cases Silks and 1 case Merchandise; for Chicago, 2 cases Silks; for Philadelphia, 119 pkgs. Merchandise; for New York, I pkge. Matting, 13 cases Silks, 10 cases Raw Silk and 220 bales Raw Silk.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-For CANTON .-Per Powan, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

For AMOY & MANILA .-

Per Zafiro, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 30th inst: For SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANG-Per Kong Beng, at 9.30 a.m., on Tuesday,

the lat October. For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-

Per Japan, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 1st October. For AMOY & MANILA .-Per Don Juan, at 3.30 p.m., on Tues-

day, the 1st October. For SINGAPORE .-Per Lydia, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 2nd October.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.-The British Contract Packet Sutley will he despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 9th October, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements. Netherlands India.

Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta,

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

and Gibraltar.

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Quotations. HONGKONG, September 28.

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METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. AT 4 P.M. TO-DAY .. Barometer . . . 29.84 Tempersture . Damp Bulb

Direction of Wind Force ! Weather Rain-fall Hongkong Observatory, Sept. 28, 1889

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

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| London, v. Suez Canal | Lagres (8). | | September 30. |
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| Shanghai | Peshawur(s) | P. & O. S. N. Co | Quick despatch. |
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| S'pore, Penang & O'tta | Japan (s) | D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. | Oct. 1, at noon. |
| S'pore, Havre & H'burg | Lydia (8) | Siemasen & Co | Oct. 2, at 10 a.m. |
| Swatow, Amoy & T'sui | Hailoong (a) | Douglas Lapraik & Co. | Sept. 29, daylight. |
| Swatow S'pore& B'kok | Kong Beng (a) | Yuen Fat Hong | Oot. 1, at 10 a.m. |
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| Vancouver (B.O.), &c. | Parthia (s) | Adamson, Bell & Co | Oct. 10, at noon. |
| Yhama, v. N'ki & Robs | Kashgar (a) | P. & O. S. N. Co | Oct. 3. daylight. |
| Y'hama, v. N'ki& Kobs | Verona (a) | P. & O. B. N. Co | |

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

Daylight -Halloong leaves for S'tow, &c Miscellaneous. Goods per Bellong undelivered after th date subject to rent.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping.

3 p.m .- Nanzing leaves for Manila, &c. 4 p.m. - Zafiro leaves for Manila, &c. Lacries leaves for London. Changsha leaves for Port Darwin, &c.

Auctions. 4.30 p.m. - Auction of One Lot of Crown

Miscellaneous. date subject to rent.

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ON MONDAY.

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NOTICE.

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MANY, and are now prepared to execute a careful attention. DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES ordering from (containing hints

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That all seeds sold by us shall prove to be as But he could-and we think he ought to to the same value. But we cannot guarantee | the constable on the best, who is generally | cafes and public establishments are crowdas there are so many causes which operate once rush to the house and try to save any are selling new editions announcing the reunfavourably in the germination of seeds lives that may be in danger, and he ought sults known. General Boulanger has been in a tropical climate, over which we have to have established a code of whistle signals | elected at Montmartre, no control. Among the causes of failure by which the constable would give the alarm may be mentioned unfavourable weather, to the man on the best next to him and so which is one of the most important. The on, thus obviating the necessity of his runsoil may be in proper condition when the ning to the Police Station to give inseed is planted, but the weather which formation. On one occasion last year there follows may be too well which will cause was reason to believe that had the Conthe seed to rot; or it may be too hot and dry, which destroys the germ before it shows itself. The soil may also be unfavourable for the variety of seed planted. And lastly, the seeds may be and are frequently destroyed by vermin of various kinds. Such occurrences are beyond the

power of man to prevent, and for which we cannot be responsible. Hongkong, 4th September, 1889.

WATSON'S PATENT DESSICATIN

DRYING BOTTLES. TATE Bog to call special attention to our

NEW PATENT DRYING BOTTLES which have been specially designed and

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY Hongkong, September 4, 1889. The publication of this issue commenced

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED

The China Mail.

d' 7.40 p.m.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1889 Ma Wodehouse is both Magistrate and Superintendent of the Fire Brigade. Magistrate he has to put into operation the Fire Enquiry Act, and it would be his party. Royalists, Imperialists and anarduty, did he discover any carelessness or want of efficiency in the Fire Brigade, to him they were better able to strike the Recensure himself and his men. The position public. Had they succeeded in their deis rather an anomalous one, and one cannot signs, it is almost impossible to believe that altogether overlook the anomaly in considering the remarks made by the honor. There was nothing in common between M. able gentleman at the conclusion of the Rochefort, and the Royalists and Impeenquiry into the fire in Wing Wo Street. rialists except common hatred of the party Did the observations come from a Magis. in power. Boulanger would have been trate who had no connection with the Fire forced into a policy of adventure in spite Brigade, they would have considerable of himself, in order, if possible, to secure Mon Tam Kiu, butcher, was brought before force, but coming as they do from the Superintendent of the Fire Brigade they lose think what would have been the fate of on remand, charged at the instance of much of their effect, and have the appear. France in the hands of Boulanger, his mis- Inspector Stanton with keeping incorrect ance of an attempt to shirk a responsible tress, and Messrs Roch-fort and Dillon. balances. Inspector Stanton said the only duty. Mr Wedehouse, with a good deal But with the triumph of the Republican scale in the defendant's shop was 12 per of reiteration, says that the public capnot party all danger is not over. If the men cent. light on the side for the weights. Mr expect the Brigade to undertake the saving returned to power resemble the last de- Dennys, who appeared for the defence, said of life as well as of property. All the Bri- puties, if there is to be a succession of the defendant was the keeper of a large gade's regulations and instructions relate to the saving of property, and he seems to imply that the duty of saving life was never imposed on it. Individual firemen are always willing to assist, but the Brigade as a Brigade washes its hands of the responsibility for the less of human life. Now, while we sympathise with the object which or the Opportunists are the more numerous. said he could not take a len ent view of we think Mr Wodehouse has in view, we However, we are told that M. Ferry, the the case. He imposed a fine of \$30.

loss of life. Unless a special body has been and if the work is not done the public will give fuller details of the results. Among naturally blame it for the failure. The the Republicans, the Moderates still far WE Have just received our New Season's question then arises, should there be a out number the Radicals, but the most of importations direct from the best season's bedter the land the separate body for that purpose. Mr the leaders are, either unseated or have to Wodehouse, although in one or two points | face a second ballot. Orders received for same with prompt and he did not express himself very happily, did not intend to discourage life-saving, but endeavoured to prove that the work ought to be separated from that of fire extinction pure and simple for which his brigade is trained. In this we are inclined to agree with him. As the brigade is constituted, it would be very difficult for of service in saving life, the helper must be on the spot immediately. Mr Wodehouse cannot have his men at all ends of Chinatown on the outlook for a fire. stable gone to the burning house at once instead of rush off to give the slarm, five or six valuable lives might have been saved. The district watchmen and the members of the Nam Pak Hong brigade, it, or any ladders that are at hand, for the purpose of saving life. Of them a majority of about 150. course, after all has been done, it may often be impossible to save life, owing to the fact that Chinese houses are constructed so as to afford as much scope to means of egress as possible. The Building Ordinance will make some improvement in this respect; and we can only hope that in time the older and worst constructed houses

> A REPUBLICAN majority is assured in France, says Reuter's telegram. The result will give satisfaction to all who have at The P. & O. Co.'s s. s. Peshalcur, with the heart the prosperity and peace of France. Had Boulanger and his heterogeneous party succeeded in obtaining a majority, the country would have entered on an era of adventures the outcome of which must either be civil or international war. It was not on account of his force of character or commanding ability that Boulanger found favour in certain circles in France, but because he was the embodiment of the opposition to the wrangling sections of the Republican chiats rallied round him, because through the factions would have long held together. himself in his position. One trembles to Mr Robinson in the Police Court to-day, cabinets of nonentities, and if plunder for cattle depot, was contractor to the Navy. self and relatives is to be the watchword as sent supplies to shops in the market and heretofore, troublous times are yet in store generally supplied four large compradores for France, and the danger of the return of a dictatorship or monarchy is not syerted. Specially supplied steamers, and the weight of supplies was always checked. The scales could not be prevented from getting out of Reuter does not tell us the composition of order, and he was quite willing to take any the successful party, whether the Radicals

must strongly object to his way of stating leader of the latter faction, has been un his case. Any one reading his speech seated, and we may surmise that his would be justified in coming to the concluit followers have not fared very well sion that the Hongkong Government did The electors evidently will have no more not care a straw for human life, but went to do with the Tonkinois, and one cannot to a great expense to organise a fire brigade but appland, their decision; for, although for the purpose of saving property. This Forry may not have been much worse than we are sure was not the intention of the several of his colleagues, he stood in the eyes Government nor what the public understood of the people as the chief instigator of the to be the duties of the firemen. Their Bourse wars in Tunks and Tonkin. What first care, as of every humane individual, fate the latter country will receive at the ought to be to save human life. That the hands of the new deputies, it is impossible regulations and the organisation of the to say until the composition of the new Brigade are not such as to fulfil the Chamber is better known. Our Tonkin life-saving part of their duty, is due contemporaries were rather apprehensive doubtless to the fact that fires in Hongs of the result, for just at the time of the kong are rarely attended with loss of election news must have been received in Goods per Japan undelivered after this life, that the Chinese clear out so France of some rather severe fighting near quickly from a burning house that there Caobang, in which the French lost seven is little risk of their being injured. The officers and fifty men, and they were afraid general experience here is that the burn, this news might influence the electors ing house is discovered deserted, the sgainst the friends of Tonkin. The Chamowner and his fokis having cleared out ber assembles in November, and its temper some time before with the books necessary. will speedily be tried, for one of the first to establish the insurance claim. However, questions that will doubtless come before it there are occasions in which the inmates do will be the revision of the constitution. not got timely warning, and last year there about which there was so much turnoil were two fires at which there was a serious twelve months ago and which wrocked more than one cabinet. FLOWER and VEGETABLE established for the purpose, the duty of Since the above was written, the Tonkin saving life must fall on the Fire Brigade, mail has brought us Havas telegrams, which

TELEGRAMS.

(Havas Agency.)

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S VISIT TO ITALY.

PARIS, 21st Sept. Emperor William's visit to Italy has been definitely settled. He will leave on the 14th October and will be accompanied by Empress Augusta Victoria.

THE FRENCH ELECTIONS. Paris, 22nd Sept.

Paris is in a great state of excitement. spresented, to the extent that should they not, have insisted on this before-arrange with The streets and squares are invaded by the do so, we will replace them or send other seeds the Captain Superintendent of Police that public impatient to know the results. The the crop any further than the above offer, among the first to hear of a fire, should at | ed. In the streets thousands of newsboys

PARIS, 23rd Sept. The results, almost complete, of the general elections, show the following figures : Republicans elected 224, opposition 159, second ballots 177, total 560. The Republicans elected are divided as follows: Moderates 167, Badicals, 57, total 224. The opposition is divided as follows; Royalists 86, Bonapartists, 51, Boulangists,

22, total 159. Among the notable candidates who have who are generally quick on the scene, not been elected are Mesars Jules Ferry, might also be enlisted in this work. But Rene Goblet, Martin Feuillee, Among the whatever agency he uses, it is Mr notable candidates for whose seats a second Wedehouse's duty to see that all that can ballot is necessary are Clemenceau. Flobe done is done to safe life. A fire escape | quet, Constant, Ed. Lookroy, Yves Guyot, is, we fear, of little use here, on account of Reynal. Among the six elected at the first the rapidity with which fire spreads, but it | ballot in Paris are five Boulangists, includshould always be on the scene, and Mr | ing General Boulanger and Georges La-Wodehouse ought to have men, whether at- guerre. Of the second ballots mentioned tached to his brigade or not, ready to use above it is believed that 130 will be favourable to the Republicans, which would give

LUCAL AND GENERAL PARRED BURZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Herangate August 9: Trifels, Maria Teresa, 16: Malabar. 20; Glamorganshire, Sept. 3; Brankelow, 6; Neckar, Orestes, Pathan, 10; Agamemnon, 13; Melbourne, 17; Stentor, 20; Oppack, Daphne, 24.
Homeward Bound:—Iphigenia, Sept. 10; Benlavers, Menelaus, Prometheus, 13;

lien, Oonfa, 24 The Canadian Pacific Co.'s s. s. Parthia. from Vancouver; left Yokohama for Kobe, Shanghai and Hongkong on the

Benalder, Preusen, 20; Electra, Sagha-

English Mail of Aug. 29, left Singapore on Wednesday, 25th instant, at 8 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 30th inst. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on July 13th.
The Canadian Pacific S. Co.'s s. S. Port

Fairy left Vancouver for Yokohama on 20th inst. The N. G. L. s. S. Bisagno left Singapore on the 23rd inst., and may be expected here on or about the 29th inst.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Sarpedon, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 24th inst., and may be expected here on or about the lat prox.

DEDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S

CATHEORAL ST. MICHARL'S AND ATT Matins :- Venite, Savage ; Psalms, Turton & Barnby Te Deum & Jubilate. Boyton Smith; Anthem, Ye shall dwell in the land; Kyrie, Boyton Smith; Hymn, 161. Evensong :- Psalms, Rimbsult & Turle; Cantate, Hopkins; Deus Miserestur,

Hopkins ; Hymps, 438 & 30. measures that might be suggested to keep them as correct as possible. His Worship

THE B.B. Falkenburg returned to port this evening and reports :- Exterienced typhoon in 18° 86' N., 110° 20' E., ship making water, therefore put back.

DIVINE SERVICE FOR SEAMEN. 4-On Sunday morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam launch carrying the Bethel flag will call alongside any vessel hoisting code pennant C., to convey men ashore to 11 n. m. service at St. Peter's Seamen's Church, returning about 12.30.

WE hear that a contract, amounting to nearly Tls. 18,000, has been signed between the Pootung Dock Company and Messra S. C. Farnham & Co., for the reconstruction of the collapsed upper Wharf and Bund and the strengthening of the lower Bund. Part of the arrangement, we understand, is that the Dock Co. shall at once commence another lawauit to settle the question of liability, while Messrs Farnham & Co. will institute a cross-action for damages .- N.-C. Daily News.

A very unique marriage was celebrated

in Squire Hauser's Office recently (says the Cincinnati Enquirer) -the Squire officiating. The bride was Miss Jessie. Trooger, who lives at the corner of Main Street and M'Micken Avenue. She obtained some celebrity two years ago by leading a strike of the waitresses in Rockwell's restaurant. She is 20 years old. The groom was Charles K. Adams, better known Wonder. He was born without those useful members of the body, and in lieu of a better and more profitable means of livelihood, hired himself out to dime museums. Adams is now about 30 years of age, and barring the lack of arms is a fine specimen of physical beauty. The absence is little felt by the Wonder, however, for he has become very expert with his toes and mouth. He can thread a needle or write a neat letter with the former, while with the latter he paints dainty little pictures, decorates chinaware, &c, holding the between his teeth. When the couple entered the 'Squire's office and said they wanted to be united in wedlock, that official was perplaxed for a while. ' How can you join hands?' he asked blandly, pointing to Adams. 'Oh, that is easy enough, said the pretty bride who stood fully three heads shorter than the groom, and she reached up and grasped the stump of his undeveloped left arm with her right hand. 'See, 'she said, as she stood smiling on her tiptoes. But the ring. How can he put the marriage ring on your finger? In this way, ' said Adams ; and the astonished officials in the 'Squire's court were thunderstruck to see the circlet of gold between the armless man's teeth. Bending his head he deftly slipped it over the girl's finger. Satisfied that the couple understood their business, the Squire went alread and performed the coremony. After being made wan and wife Adams sat down and slipping the shoe off his foot, disclosing a stocking with the front of the foot out off, he reached into his vest pocket with his toes and brought out a roll of bills. Selecting a five-dollar note he entered it as a fee, and putting on his shoe went away, his little wife sticking close to him.

CRICKET MATCH.

following are the scores :-

STAY AT HOMES & SHANGHAI TEAM. A match between the team which is going to represent Hongkong in Shanghai and an eleven from the rest of the Club was played this morning, resulting in an easy victory for the Shanghai team. The

STAY AT HOMES.

E. G. Young, R.E., c and b Smith, Russell Stokes, c K. W. Maitland, b Smith, W. H. F. Darby, b Smith. K. Travers, c Bramwell, b Smith, A. P. Stokes, b Cuxon, Total, 112 Runs. Maidens, Wickets. SHANGHAI TEAM. E. J. Coxon, c Leach, b S. Coxon 57

G. H. Bramwell, c Davidson, b S. Coxon...... 9 T. E. Davies, c A. P. Stokes, b S. Coxon..... 9 Maitland, not out Platt, put out Atkinson, to bat

FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the Sauitary Board again almost monopolises the talk of the week.

That it must be conceded that the purity of The Pokfulam water, the disposal of the City refuse, and the challenging by Meesrs Danby & Leigh of the action of the Sanitary Surveyor, are subjects of vital importance.

That it may be remarked that Mr Humphreys' remarks on the weather must have greatly displeased the Clerk thoruof, as it rained very heavily and steadily after the last meeting.

That the members will do well to speak guardedly spon such matters, and save us from such visitations.

That it was pleasant to observe the frank manner in which the Surveyor General, as President of the Board, expressed his conviction that the polluters of Pokfulam reservoir should be warned and then prosecuted.

That as the Government will thus have to begin by prosecution and puni hing itself, the example will be most beneficial to all private offenders and the President of the Board will necessarily have to appear against the Surveyor General, who is the greatest offender of all.

That an appropriate sentence which might be passed upon the Hon. S. Brown would be, Don't do it again, and you are discharged on condition that you produce the plans, and complete the filter-beds in six months.

That, so far as the Board is concerned, it refuses to be a Burial or a Crematory Board, and the City refuse has simply to be removed beyond the limits. That the reasons for this conclusion seem

to be, that the burial process would probably cost more than was estimatedwhich, by the way, applies to nearly every estimate ever made. That the process would probably prevent

property in the vicinity increasing in white for some years ; and That a saving of some \$50,000 or more would be effected by the Mongkok scheme, while about \$1,000 a-year of the texpay-

ers' money would have been available for

That if I held a piece of ground in Mongkok, it is possible that my vote might have been cast against the damping scheme ; but as the question of danger or injury to the public health was and is the chief business for the consideration of the Board, that and not the value of land should have been the principal guiding

being made in duniping at Mongkok, so I will say nothing as to the wisdom of the decision now arrived at until the process has been thoroughly tried. That meantime it is enough to say that near- end of August, as a set-off against 50 ly everything depends upon the thoroughness of the supervision, and that I

have grave doubts as to the one-mile me they were not certain he would clear. That the Leigh-Cooper imbroglio requires | end of August. I remember having a concalm considers ion and patient investi- versation with him about 27th August. gation, instead of remarks like those was the first day I had come to town after credited to the Acting Registrar Goueral. | an absence of about twelve days through ill-

market. That it strikes an outsider who calmly ob- bay informed Mr Brandt that day. Later on

Board for consideration. That even granting that Mr Innes' official | the settling day. I said I could only oblige soul was shocked at the bare suggestion him by tiding over the settling day, but of an official having done wrong or having could not carry them to the end of the exceeded his instructions, that chivalric | month, and that they must be sold two or official might have remembered that it three days afterwards. He seemed

the case after it had been heard. That a more careful perusal of Mr Cooper's | were not clear, and I told Mr Brandt I letter, and a prolonged wrestle with the should have to sell. I tried my best to sell problem, How much of the official conduct | them that day, but could not get a rate for Board-i'e., how much of the official hot headed defender of his brother-official into a calmer frame of mind.

to carry out the Public Health Ordinance with the greatest consideration towards | the best price I could get. I might have the community, appears to have fallen upon very stony ground.

and Captain Butman has not denied them, the W. H. Conver must have had a motley crew during the last trip. that as the noble art of 'Shanghai-ing' has fellen into disuse of late. Captain Butman might usefully be called upon by

way they do it in the Colonies. bat the class of skipper who formerly waled fat upon the doings of the crimps and the proceeds of the slop-chest is fast dying out, and the human race generally

shed not a tear. That Mr Wodehouse is singularly infelicitous in his public utterances as a rule, and his expressions frequently fail to indicate what he means to say, while they often misrepresent his fee ings.

That the well-meaning effort of the Fire Brigade Superintendent to defend his men was one of those occasions where Mr. Wodehouse displayed the defects al: luded to.

That it cannot be supposed for a moment that Mr Wodehouse would give place would go up in September. to anyone in his feeling of the sacredness rend his recent remarks are asking if Government considers life less sacred opinion that Sugars would go down.

than property. That the sooner we organise a Hook and -I told you at once when I had sold the Eadder Company the better. That such an organisation would exactly fill the blank which Mr Wodehouse point-

rivalry produced by such a body, would | your shares in fact ? act most beneficially upon the Brigade | Defendant-I don't recollect.

That rewards for the saving of life at fires should be encouraged, and a system of honours or recompense established. That, except one or two preliminary fines of a purely centimental nature, few complaints have been made concerning the decisions of the new Police Magistrate. and that gentleman is to be congratulated upon his first shot at the Rendition

That we do not hear much about the reorganisation of the P. W. D., but it salisfactory to know that the Head of the present shattered and disorganised body is anxious to accomplish good sound work for the Colony, and make little

That if the said worthy Head could in answer in both cases must be affirmative.

deserve the thanks of the community. That care and caution and deliberateness repudiated. It was clear from the evidence Now apart from the question of identificaif now and again aroused to action.

beyond the wily snipe. programme, which includes large game, \$258, and here he wanted to make out that they should come to terms with the the rate on the settling day was \$266.

villagers and arrange a tariff of values. that the older hands don't hanker after bagging old women or children, but would

an accident. That there are some men who have no natural affinity to fire-arms, and they ought to be kept separate. That a heinous offence was this week com-

mitted by two old women, and to make matters worse they were both widows. That these misguided ancient females did | ruptoy. actually on the holy Sabbath take and carry away from a building in course of erection stone chips.

estimate the value of these chips-a be struck off reducing the sum to 3994. With That nevertheless it was the very painful price of the Sugar shares there was evi-

are said to be out on strike.

Slip, has given it as his opinion that the that sum the plaintiff would get judgment. unfortunate Ardgay and the new Slip are waiting f r each other. That I am as giad to learn that Governor Sir Wm. Des Voeux has improved in health, as I am sorry to hear that our worthy Colonial Secretary is not so well

as we all wish him to be.

SUPREME COURT. IN BUMMARY JURISDICTION. employed. (Before Mr A. G. Wise, Acting Puisne

Saturday, Sept. 28. BRANDT U. GRIMBLE -- AN OPERATION IN

In this case, which was a claim for \$996, further evidence was heard to-day. That as I strongly advised an experiment Brandt'appeared for himself, and Mr Webber was for the defendant. F. Grimble, the defendant, said-I re-

Judge.)

tained \$3,000 on a share-dealing account between the plaintiff and myself for the 'Sugara' and 100 Banks which my brokers, Messra Torg and Gubbay, He had obtained from me 50 Sugars for the That Mr Mitchell-Innes might in the in- ness. Mr Gubbay came to me and said Mr terval seriously deliberate over this ques- Brandt had asked him to carry over these tion- If the moon were made of green Sugars until next month, as he did not cheese, what effect would that circum- think he would be able to take them up stance have upon the London choose I said I was very sorry, but I would not be able to carry them over. I suppose Mr Gubserves such proceedings in the Sanitary I spoke to Brandt on the same subject and Board-room as monstrous, that anyone told him the same thing. He said Toeg should be branded as a libeller merely and Gubbay had assured him I would carry because he brings a complaint before the the shares over. I said I would do as much as possible not to press him for them on would be time enough to pronounce upon satisfied and wanted me to carry them over. On Monday, the 2nd September, the Sugars of Mr Cooper can be dealt with by the them till the 4th, when the rate was \$2 6. I did my utmost to sell the shares on Monnamed Francis A. Cooper belongs to the day and Tuesday. On the Tuesday I had Board, -may perhaps lead the abe but an offer of \$258, but when it came to the scratch the man backed out. On the 4th I sold 25 of my own shares along with Mr That the advice of the Secretary of State, Brandt's. The 75 shares were sold by Benjamin and Danby at \$250. That was sold them on the settling day, but I told Mr Brandt I would do my best to tide over That if the talds fold in the papers be true, the settling day. I charge him \$12 interest on the shares for the time I held them over,

that being at the usual Bank rate of 7 per Mr Brandt-What was my answer when you told me you would not carry the shares. over to the end of the month ?- You aphis Consul to give a brief sketch of the peared very much disgusted.

Don't you remember my saying you could carry them over till the end of September or sell them at my risk, but that would not take them ?-No. His Lordship-Did he repudiate them

then I-No, he appeared very much disgus-

Mr Brandt-Please recollect, was there ever a word said about carrying them over the settlement day? - I was not quite certain whether you would take them or not; Defendant, in reply to further questions, and-I understood that The whole of the 10) Banks and the Sugars would not be cleared, and I calculated that would

amount to about \$3,000, which I retained to be safe. I had an idea that Sugars Mr Brandt-I told you I had quite a dif of human life, and yet people, who have ferent idea, but you wanted to speculate on your own idea. I expressed a strong

Defendant (cross-examination continued) Sugara. I told you I had sold 75 ; I never

maid I had sold 200). Mr Brandt-Didn't you tell me the Bank ed out existed in the present arrange- had pushed you and that you had been ments, and it would do more, for the obliged to sell_that you had to sacrifice

> Mr Brandt-Will you swear you did not tell mo that ? Defendant-Certainly not, but I don't recollect it. In a certain way it was understood I had to sell them, but the Bank did not come to me and say 'sell those shares.'

> that, but if they had not put pressure on you, you would not have sold.

Defendant-I don't know. This concluded the evidence. Mr Webber said he thought the case was reduced to the questions whether the defendant had any right to hold over these shares, which he did with the plaintiff's into the dock, he picked out the man who

of 8594 was rightly deducted from the plaintiff's account. He submitted that the troduce just a little more speed into the The defendant could not be bound by au driving wheels of government, he would arrangement entered into by his brokers without his consent and which he at once are essentially qualities to be admired in that an understanding was come to that the an honest official, but in a commercial shares should be held over the settling day, Colony officials given to falling into a and that the price obtained for them was Brown study' too often must not object | the best that could be got. There was no evidence of what the price was on the set-That the ambition of our youthful sports' thing day because no business appeared to seems still to carry them considerably have been done. In another case similar to this, the plaintiff had charged Mr Chas. That if they intend to continue the present | Mo ney the difference between \$311 and

Mr Brandt said he had distinctly refused to take up the shares and the proper course was for the defendant, to sell them on the like to know their liability in the event of settling day if he did not carry them over As to the statement that there was no market on the settling day it was proved that in transactions on the previous day, \$265 and \$266 had been obtained. The case of the witness Mooney, referred to by Mr

Webber, was a totally different one, because he gave out that he was going into bank-His Lordship said this was a plaim for 8996 39 arising out of certain transactions in shares. A small item in the account had That the Rent collector said he could not | never been once mentioned, and it would statement which left much to conjecture. regard to the item of the difference in the duty of the owner of those chips to charge | dence that on or about the 27th August the depredatory dames even on the the plaintiff gave the defendant notice that That duty of this description rarely fails in | would not take them up. That being so | last day, I don't think I should have had any bandi was on the defendant, and his Lordauthorities are discussing seriously the was any agreement of that kind between possibility of extracting a further Mili- | them. Therefore he held that in accord-Colony to make good the loss crused by been realised on 31st August. He fixed the market rate for that day at \$266 on That a large Dock shareholder, who natu- the evidence before him. After making rally fails to realize the public-spirited- certain deductions claimed by the defendant ness implied in the erection of a rival there was a balance left of \$302,65, and for

A DISOBEDIENT COOLE.

and of his month and without notice."

broken the contract under which he was

THE CHINESE RENDITION CASE.

MR ROBINSON'S DECISION. The following is Mr Robinson's decision given yesterday afternoon in the case which the Chinese Government applied for the rendition of a Chinese subject on charge of highway robbery, alleged to have been committed near Sam-shui-po.

The case is a peculiar one. The rendition of two men was applied for by the Chinese authorities, but one of the two was discharged shortly after proceedings had been commenced, on the ground that there was no evidence against him. Both men had previously been arrested in tich territory by Chinese officers and were aken to Canton, and were afterwards handed over to the Hongkong Police on the demand of the Home Government.

His Worship said .-- In this case the rendition of the defendant is claimed by the Chiness Government. The defendant is charged that he is a subject of China and that on 5th January last he committed a highway robbery at a place in Chinese territory not far from Sam-shui-po upon the person f olio Tang Shi Cho and robbed him of twenty taels, his property. The proper oreliminaries having taken place, I am repuired under Ordinance 2 of 1850 and Or-The first point for investigation is that of name of which I forget at this moment, and there is in corroboration the fact that he speaks the language and that his dress and appearance indicate the same nationa-All these taken together constitute, think, sufficient evidence as to na-

tionality, especially as there is not slightest evidence in contradiction. I have excluded from the grounds of my opinion the evidence of the turnkey on this point not being perfectly sure whether it is strictly admissible. The next point to consider is whether there is probable cause for believing that the crime has been committed. whether I am satisfied on investigation that the crime has been committed. Upon that point I feel satisfied also. It was contended for the prisoner that probably the whole transaction was bogus, but taking the svidonce of Dr Tang to be on the whole honest and accurate. I see no reason to doubt that he was the victim of a highway robbery at the time and place and substantially in the manner he describes. His evidence strikes me as being on the whole honest and accurate, although it is true that, like most Chinese witnesses I suppose, he is not above prevarication, and the evidence of where he says ' neither of the Mandarins (meaning the Mandarins at Sam-shui-po and Kowloon) sent for me before bringing this charge against the defendant, whereas in cruss-examination, in answer to the Court. some days later, he says, 'I was sent for to his Yamen (meaning the Yamen of the Mandarin at Sam-shui-po) and was there talking with the Mandarin for I should say, an hour. The conversation was impatantially to the effect that the thief was in Hongkoug and I was to go there to give evidence against him. I objected that it would interfere with my business, and he said "You have already petitioned me in this case and you I don't say there is anything wrong in the transaction, but there as said, is evidence of prevarication. At the same time I believe his statements in the main to be substantially honest, and accurate. So much for the crime, to identify the prisoner. seriously say that he had, an opportunity of eneing him at al!. He thinks he is the Mr Brandt-No. I don't exactly mean

man, and in court after he was put with a number of other men he pointed out the defendant, but against that there must be taken this fact, that the man had been standing in the dock with another during the long period that the witness was under examination. The witness, when asked whether he had seen the defeudant, dues not at once identify him. I am inclined to think that was a little piece of prevarication too. At any rate, when other men were put knowledge and consent, and whether a sum | had been standing in the dock. I attach no importance whatever to that identification. He himself admits he had not a fair opportunity of seeing the man on January 5th. The question of identification is the question in the case, and that depends on one single witness, the man Lam Ngaj. tion. Lam Ngai is not in my opinion so satisfactory a witness as Dr Taug, but still taking the two together, I am not prepared to say that Lam Ngal was not on the spot on the day in question. He swears that he was and I am not prepared to disbelieve him. He is corroborated by Dr Tang, and I am not proper d to disbelieve there two men, he may still have been there and yet not be able to identify the accused If I accepted his statement at all there would

be next to no doubt about the case. According to his statement in chief, he was behind a rock at a distance of some fifty English feet from where the robbery took place, and it was from that point that he was able to see the face of the accused. The face of the accused is a face that might be remembered having once been seen under such eireumstauces. He says also, and here there is a slight discrepancy, he is very familiar with the face, although stands; if I accept his statement, there is quite sufficient reason to believe that he could identify him. Then there is the other view of the case which was urged upon me for the defence, that the manreally comes along not at the time of the robbery but just afterwards. But for the cross-examination and the statement made

The coolie was nonsuited, he having extension of the literal meaning of the word supposed to be removed by hand and the is asked for on behalf of the prosecution. former carried down to boats in the har-Take the words literally, coupled with the bour, but only a very small portion of which statement made by the witness, and the there is every reason to believe ever reaches meaning then is 'I arrived a few minutes its proper destination, and no system infter Dr. Tang was robbed. Of course volving such a vast amout of manual labour if Dr. Tang was alone when he was will be found to work satisfactorily, especifirst seen there is no possibility of iden- ally when it has to be carried out at night tifying the robber. [His Worship then and by so careless and indifferent a race as went into a lengthy analysis of the evid- the Chinese coolie.' As regards the excre- Kia-yilh Kwan in Kansu (about Long.)

ence, pointing out what appeared to him | mentitions matter, he says :-to be discrepancies, and continued :-] The best way, and the one which I re- (or Kuldja, about Long. 82 E). Be carries But for that statement on the last commend, is to lay a small cast iron pipe a map, in which he will enter any correcday of the case I should, in spite of (say 4 inches diameter) from a suitable and tions that he obtains on his journey. The the other discrepancies; have felt it my central position at the Peak and carry it real reason of his desiring to obtain these duty to find there was probable cause for down to an outfall on the South side of the believing the accused committed the crime. but the statement by Lam Ngai, that when sea, or into a tank from which it could be he saw Dr Tang he was alone, taken in con- run direct into the nightseil boats, which nection with the other circumstances of doubt, makes such a conclusion impossible to my mind. Unless therefore I am bound found to pay a considerable sum for it if to put a special meaning to the words ' probable cause ' I must discharge the defendant. In connection with this case I have read and considered a judgment of the feet of soil being placed over them and the Supreme Court, delivered on 14th June

1887, to find what my real position under this ordinance is, and it seems to me that I am simply a committing Magistrate. There is a passage in the judgment referred to which I shall read :- 'In Oke's Magisterial Syponsis. 898, in the foot-note 29, dealing with indictable offences, the author cites Mr Justice Bayleyin Cox v. Ocleridge as saving "I think that a Magistrate is clearly bound in the exercise of a sound discretion not to commit any oue unless a prima linance 2 of 1871 to investigate this charge. facis, case is made out against him by population he says that whatever scheme is witnesses entitled to a reasonable degree adopted should be able to supply water for Pac. nationality, and on this point, although the of credit. Justices ought not therefore to not less than 850 Europeans and 3,000 evidence is rather slight, still I hold it to be balance the evidence and decide according Chinese, with a daily consumption of to the wishes of the junkmen and others sufficient. There is the direct statement of as it preponderates, for this would in fact 47,000 gallons As to the altitude, he con- and closed the newly opened Likin Office at a one witness and the statement of another be taking upon themselves the functions siders the service tank should be at a level witness in cross-examination that the de- of a petty jury and by trying the case, of 1,560 feet, above which level them are fendant belongs to a place in China the They should consider whether or not the only four houses. He then proceeds :evidence makes out a strong or probable or | Having thus decided upon the amount

accused to trial." We think the above gives filling the conditions, viz :the true rule for dealing with extradition cases here, and the Magistrate should ask himself if the offence had been committed within this jurisdiction, should be commit for trial at the Supreme Court. If so, he should commit under the Ordinance, and thus enable the Governor to carry out the treaty obligation. On the pumped a lift of no less than 1,160 feet. other hand, if the Magistrate after investigating the case, as he does an indictable offence comes to the conclusion that there is no probable cause for believing that the person before him committed the crimes charged, then he should not put it in the power of the Governor to deliver him up if thought fit. but discharge him. Now this judgment, had it stopped at the words the Magistrate should ask himself if the offence had been committed within to a minimum, this jurisdiction, should be commit for trial at the Supreme Court,' would have been a site at the 'Austin Arms' will fulfil all the was hidden from view when the master clear interpretation to me of the meaning | requirements. of the words ' probable sause,' but the Court

goes on to add 'On the other hand, if the would be 1,360 feet, thus necessitating a one said 'Your boys are in the coffine. that may be found in his statement in chief, Magistrate after investigating the ase, as he lift of only 200 feet; and I think I can Now you kwan, the phrase employed, has does on indictable offence, comes to the show that an efficient reservoir can be two meanings, become mandarins, conclusion that there is no probable cause formed at this site. for believing the person before him committed the crimes charged, then he should taken from which I have ascertained with- is different. 'Hardly that so soon,' said not put it in the power of the Governor to | out doubt that by a dam of only 40 feet | the good old man, 'I hope they will evendeliver him up if he thought fit, but dis- in height a body of water can be impound- tually attain to it; but at present they charge him. In other words I don't think | ed of no less than 13,500,000 gallons, or have only begun the Odes and the Book of that this is more than a guidance for the over the maximum amount required for History. You are mistaking me, said Magistrates upon the question immediately nine months' consumption, not allowing the man, 'I mean they are in the coffine.' decided by the Court, that they are to hear for any rainfall during that time. There | Don't talk like that, said the schoolevidence on both sides, and I don't is no doubt therefore that this valley is master with a start, 'I saw them alive and take it that it can be taken to interpret the more than sufficient to contain the amount well half an hour ago. The man now meaning of the words 'any probable cause.' required. The judgment of the Court settled one There is at present only one house that helped the schoolmaster to pull open the point, that evidence must be heard in de- drains into the water-shed, and the drain- big coffins in the Temple; but it was too sence, but it does not attempt to define age from it can be easily diverted. The late, for there lay the six little boys all dead precisely the perhaps indefinable words source of supply may, therefore, be con- of suffication. The master at once fled probable cause.' I take it that the posi- sidered pure. tion of a magistrate under this ordinance is Only one other point remains to be

tries a case in Summary Jurisdiction and entil one who commits for trial where he has no Therefore I take it the case the rainy season. prospection has to present is such as to onus probandi is just shifted from the con- recommend it to be carried out. admirably conducted, in the sense that there | small.

tout which sometimes prevails to produce on which to build a small Pumping Station, an undue impression upon the Court. and I think it likely that the pumping could There has been. I believe, at least one be more economically performed by elechonest witness before the C art, Dr Tang, tricity than by steam, seeing that the coals and but for the words I have referred to I would all have to be brought up from heshould have decided the case otherwise. low, but this is a question into whit. I The prisoner is discharged.

Dr Ho Kai conducted the case for the Chinese Government, and Mr Wilkinson was for the defence.

THE DRAINAGE AND WATER SUPPLY OF THE PEAK.

We have before us a report on the drainage and water supply of the Peak District, prepared by Mr R. K. Leigh at the request afterwards he said he had seen it but two of a meeting of Peak residents held at the or three times. However, there the matter City Hall on the 16th August. We can only give a summary of the report to-day, reserving any comments we may have to

make thereon to a future occasion. Mr Leigh says there are at present at the Peak four drains leadi g to four different outfalls and constructed on what is known resping its own reward—scoper or later, he took it that the plaintiff was only generally sooner.

The statement to which would require it to be 100 to be took it that the plaintiff was only difficulty in the case. The statement to which number of houses connected with cack, he responsible for the difference in price on T refer has made the case. responsible for the difference in price on I refer has made the case a very difficult says. It will thus be seen that only 22 feet long, 50 feet wide and 16 feet deep; the RELIGIOUS SERVICES: generally sooner.

That as a copy of the Laws of the Colony cannot be obtained outside of the Courts and the laws of the Courts are someoned to these drains and desirable.

The court of the Sat present built and house out of the 68 at present built and put by Mr. Wilkinson—and I desirable.

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The court of the Colony the sate of the concreted over, and would be concreted over, and would b favour of providing a Classified List of the hold the shares over for a few days. On took place several days after the examin- drain into Pokfoolum Reservoir. He does Ordinances has been suggested by a Cor- this point there was only before the Court ation in chief, when the witness comes, as not agree with the contention that the the word of the defendant himself, and he it were, fresh to the case—he says, I did nuisance complained of will cease when to the Law Revision Committee, who thing an agreement like that the onus pro- no see Dr Tang until after the number drained the more long lengths casely be completed in 18 months from the P.M. the robbery. When I saw him he was of drains will be required with only a few That a rumour reaches me that the Home ship did not think it was proved that there slope. I did not see him until I got houses connected to each, and a continuous close up to his side. I did not see and rapid flow will not be maintained. anybody but Dr Tang on the hill. Then He considers the Separate System' of tary Contribution, by way of assisting the ance with custom the shares ought to have that last question was repeated and the drainage the most suitable for the Peak, witness added and the three people who but there are several details in the manner robbed him? It was forcibly argued before | in which it has been carried out that in his me that there words 'I did not see Dr. opinion admit of improvement, and it Tang until after the robbery' and the con- is upon these details that its efficiency detext should not be taken literally, and that pends. He considers that the drains ought very many years to come. the real meaning was I did not identify not to have been laid until there was a or recognise Dr. Tang until after the rob- proper water supply, and he does not think water works I have recommended is ap. Fourth Sunday, at Evening Service. bery, and that this was consistent with the the lines taken by the present drains are proved, I shall be most happy to place the A resident in Hollywood Road was sued whole of the witness's former statement, in all cases the best. After showing how services of my firm at the disposal of the for a month's wages by a chair coolie. It It was not denied that the word used was the drains could be improved, he goes on Government, and commence at once with 127 Queen's Road East, on Sundays at 9.45 appeared from the evidence that the coolie | the Chinese word to see. Still the argu- to say :- The draining question of the Peak | the necessary plans, &c., undertaking to A.M. and 6 P.D. had been reprimanded for negligence and ment was a possible one and in defence cannot be considered without reference to have the whole of the work completed to quitted his employer's service before the such an argument is very often used, but it the disposal of the excrementations matter, the satisfaction of the Government within 9 a.m. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 P.M. Evenmust be remembered that in this case the and kitchen refute, which are at present the 18 months I have specified,

Island, discharging either direct into the would be only too ready to take it away for to Shausi. manural purposes and would probably be put on board free in this manner.

The kitchen refuse he would bury in proper pits dug at selected places, several ground turfed and planted with trees. In considering a water supply to Peak, Mr Leigh says three main points must

1 The water must be good. 2 It must be sufficient in quantity, not for present requirements, but for those of

3 It must be delivered at an altitude to supply all but any two or three of the highest houses at the Peak. Allowing for the probable increase of

even a conflicting case of guilt. In any and the altitude I will now mention the one of such cases they should commit the | only three ways that I know of for ful-

> 1. To pump the water from the Tytam service tank. 2. To pump the water from the Pokfoo-

3. To build a new reservoir and pump the custom in China of keeping coffins in the water from it. The first of these will require to be The second will require the water to be pumped a lift of no less than 1,060 feet. Both of these plans, owing to the enorm-

ous cost of pumping to such a height, are, consider, out of the question. As regards the third there are several sites at which a reservoir could be built, but There were five or six boys, and one of the chief object is to select the highest them proposed that the rest should play a

I have had cross sections of the valley

The area that can be made to drain into . We heard yesterday from our corresponmay say also that Dr Tang does not protend jurisdiction. He is not a Magistrate com- the reservoir is approximately 1,40,000 dent at Tungchow that the railway from mitting for trial purely and simply, and he square foot, and wing the average Lu-kow K'ino to Hangkow will be comis certainly not acting as a petty jury. sunual rainfall of 80 inches, would give menced at once, and that it is likely that The only meaning I can read into these close on 60,000,000 gallous. A very the iron necessary will be procured from words probable cause is cause for be- considerable portion of this is lost by Hwoh-lul Hien in Shansi. [Hwoh-luh is lieving that the said person has probably absorption and evaporation, but seeing in Chong-ting Fu, in Chibli, so this is a committed the said crime. It is not for that the maximum amount required is only the Magistrate to find there is some cause; 17,000,000, Lang confident that the rehe has to find more than that, he servoir will he filled to overflowing for by the sale of official rank. -Shen Pao. has to find that there is probable several months in the year during the

dence before me. I cannot find that it is feet high in the centre, across the fire as an admonition from Heaven to be rather more likely than not that the wit- valley at the angle of the road by circumspect in conduct, and trusts that all ness Lam Ngai was in a position to iden- the Austin Arms. At this point Na- the officials, his servants, will draw the tify the robber. I have given the case my ture has so provided by parrowing same moral lesson from it. It is satisfacbest consideration, and it is rather against the valley that the dam would tory to find that as yet no lesson against my first impression that I decide as I do, only require to be about 150 feet long, and railways has been deduced from the but as I have in consciouce to interpret the as the bed rock crops out no trouble would accident. meaning of the words I cannot do other- be experienced with the foundations, in may say that the case has been fact the cost of this dam would be very

has been no organised attempt to the ex- There is already sufficient level ground

No private rights would be interfered with, and the road to R. B. L. II could be made along the top of the dam; but seeing that the house on this lot drains into the Pokfoolum ares, and cannot well be drained elsewhere, for the protection of that water supply I consider it ought to be resunied by the Government From the Pumping Station the water

would be delivered into a Service Tank at 1,560 feet, and the most convenient place for this is the swamp below Mountain

ground, so that the top is level with the sure in stating that I have tried "Scott's surface, and covered by brick arches as is Emulsion" in a case of impoverished blood. correct to cover in all service tanks. By with scrofulous disease, and found it to be this means it would collect the whole of a very efficient preparation. It was taken the drainage waters of this upper valley, without the least difficulty."-A. TEMPLE and would, I am confident, for something PERKINS, 22, Lordship Park, Stoke Newlike five months in the year save the cost ington, N. Any Chemist can supply it of nearly all pumping. It should contain Watson & Co., (Limited), agents in Hong-

be distributed by small cast iron pipes in month. Evensong at 5. the ordinary way, and the whole scheme is Union Church.-Minister Rev. G. H. A small pipe could also be carried on to the German language, by Rev. F. Hartmann, supply the houses at Magazine Cap, which every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the

are even worse of for water than those at Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House,

NOTES FROM NATIVE PAPERS. Eleven criminals, all robbers, were beleaded at Soochow on 13th September, and five more on 16th September.

A Russian traveller has obtained through Russian Consul a passport from the Tiotal at Tientsin, under which he proto proceed to Kwei-hwa Chieng Shansi, thence 800 li over the prairie to: 97 E.) and thence still further West to Ili observations is obvious. A Japanese in Chinese dress has also left Tientein in a cart with two mules bent on the exploration of the N.E. Provinces from the Amer

The Presidents and Vice-Presidents o the Board of Revenue are said to be still in consultation as to ways and means for the building of Viceroy Chang Chi-tung's railway from Lu-kow Kian Rekinge to Hankow. They are opposed to a loan, especially a foreign loan, and injend if possible to build the line with Government funds recoived from the various Provinces. They hope to complete the line in eight years at a cost of 35,000,000 taels, spending something over Tla. 4,000,000 each year.

A large number of disbanded Hunan braves have leakned with the Yao savages and fortified themselves in the mountains of Kuangtung near the Hunan frontier in Lien. Chow, some 700 li north of Canton. It is expected that a military expedition will be necessary to turn them out of that Shen

The Vicercy Chang Chi-inng has deferred Shek-mun, Kuangtung. On 12th September, Sun. Prefect of Kuangchow Fu. issued. a four-character metrical preclamation briefly announcing that it has been closed and calling on the people to go about their

business as before .- Hu Pan Ale The Southern History (a History from 420 to 589 A.D.) contains a record of an judividual who bought his coffin when 30 years old, and did not have to use it until he had passed the age of 90, -so ancient is the house ready for use. The Yan We Laun recently contained an account of a tragic accident occasioned by this old custom.

Outside the South Gate of the city of Wu-sih, in this Province of Kinngsu, beside the temple of Kwan-yin, is a boys school. The schoolmaster being called away one day, his little pupils strayed into the temple, and saw there two large coffins. which will supply sufficient good water, as trick on the pedagogue, by hiding in the by so doing the pumping would be reduced coffine, of which this boy would fasten down the lids after they had got iu. No There is no doubt in my mind that the sooner said than done, and the last child returned. He was looking everywhere for The level of the buttom of the reservoir the boys in great perplexity when some 'gone into coffins,' although in writing, of course, the second character of each group

thinking the hoar had lasted long enough. from the district; and the parents of the victims, in their fury, went in pursuit of intermediate between a Magistrate who decided, viz., Is the drainage area suffici- the other boy, who had caused the tragedy,

and put him to death. - Hu Pao. mistakel. It is said a memorial is in contemplation recommonding the raising of funds

Tho Shen Pao gives an edict on the subject of the fire at the Temple of Heaven I trust these figures will clearly prove the | which originated, it says, at the building make it appear rather more likely than not sufficiency of the scheme, and I will now called the Hall of Prayers for the Year. that the accused committed the crime. The give a short sketch of the plan as I would during a violent, thunderstorm. The offi cers on watch are to be punished for their tro line. Now in this case, with the evi- I would build a concrete dam, 40 carelessness. The Emperor accepts the

> THE title of 'Old Maid' does not now attach to a lady until she has passed her

> hirtieth birthday. Wife-Did you find out what siled the clock last night after I told you it wouldn't run! Husband-No. I sat up till nearly midnight and took it all to pieces, and saw nothing wrong with it. Wife-Well, I've thought what is the matter with it. I

> forgot to wind it .- Omaha World. To THE DEAF. . A Person cured of Deafness and noises in the head of 23 years' standing by a simple remedy, will send a description of it free to any Person who applies to Nicholson, 21, Bedford Square,

London, W. C., England. Scorr's Emulsion of Pure Con Liver OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES is prescribed by Physicians all over the world. It is a remarkable remedy for Consumption, Scrofula, and wasting diseases, and very palatable. The tank should be built sunk into the Read the following :- I have muck plea-

That I can only refer the anxious inquirer was contradicted by the plaintiff. In set not see Dr Tang before the robbery. I saw more houses are connected, for the greater not not see Dr Tang before the robbery. I saw more houses are connected, for the greater not not see Dr Tang before the robbery. GERMAN BETHESDA CHAPEL.—Service in

> West Point. I am confident that if what I have re- ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH. Sailors' commended in this report is carried out, Home. -Service on Souday, at 11 A.M. and the drainings and water supply to the Peak . if P.M. Thursday, at 6 P.M. The Holy will have been satisfactorily settled for Communion is administered on the Second Sunday in the month at 7."0 A.M.; on the I will conclude by saying that if the small ! First and Third Sundays, at Noon; on the Berviers are conducted by the Rev. J. A. Turner, in the WESLEYAN MISSION ROOMS.

> > St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road --

The hour's late : the silver meon is full. While from the covort of the maple's A youth in song asks: 'Art thou sleeping And wakes night's echoes with his sere-

Fleet years go on ; the hour's later still : The moon's full too, but in the doorway That same youth now his latch-key softly

And only prays that she may be asleep.

THE TEN HEALTH COMMAND-1. Thou shalt have no other food than at

or nut into pastry the likeness of anything still room, however, for further advance in that is in the Heavens above or in the this direction, and the side streets are filled waters under the earth. Thou shalt not with garbage and slops, and you now and fall to eating it or trying to digest it. For thea find a dead dog or cat in a state of the dyspepsia will be visited upon the chil- putrid decomposition. The Jerusalem outdren to the third and fourth generations of side the wills is now almost as large as the them that cat pie; and long life and vigor city within, and I am told that land has upon those that live prudently and keep

the laws of health: for he will not be kept sound that eateth ; ping there is a card advertising a fine farm his bread as dough. 4. Thou shalt not indulge forrow or bor- | lem, and I learn that along the Jaffa read-

row anxiety in vain. thyself clean, and the seventh then shalt | cent. One place which belongs to a charit- | ed cigarettes. Now every one who smokes take a great bath, thou, and thy son, able institution was bought a short time ago carries thom, and at a formal dinner they and thy daughter, and thy man-servant, and for \$500. It is now worth \$80,000 and can- are just as much a matter of course as the maid servant, and the stranger that is not be bought for that amount. A teleg- cigars. One of the singular things of Lonand the bath-tub and hallowed it.

STOCKS.

Banks.

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank-)

Marine Insurances.

ing Corporation

Canton, Limited

China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld. 1865

North China Insurance Co., Ld. 1863 £

Yangtsze Insur. Association, Ld. 1882 £

Chinese Insurance Co., Ld., } 1871 3

Fire Insurances.

China Fire Insurance Co., Ld.

Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld.

Fire and Marine Insurances.

Steam-Boats.

Steam-boat Co., Limited

Co. Limited

Refineries.

Wharves.

& Godown Co., Limited

Agency Company, Ld. ..

Hongkong & Kowleon Wharf)

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Kowloon Land and Building !

Company, Ld.

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ways Company, Limited

Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., Ld. 1889's

Punjom & Sunghie Dua Sa- 1 1885 8

Planting, &c.
East Borneo Planting Co., Ld. 1888

Depentures.

Hongkong Hotel Co. Mortgage Debentures 1889

Selama Tin Mining Company, 1889

Limited,

mantan Mining Co., Ld.

Société Francaise des Char-

China Sugar Refining Co., Ld.

China & Manila S. S. Co., Ld. 1882 3 Steam Launch Company, Ld. .. 1888 \$

Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld. 18828

(1) Hongkong, Canton & Macao)

Indo-China Steam Navigation

Douglas Steamship Co., Ld.

Singapore Insurance Co., Ld. .. 1884 3

Union Insurance Society of 1867\$ 2,500,000 10,000\$

Canton Insurance Office, Ld. .. 1881 \$ 2,500,000 10,000 \$

Straits Insurance Co. Ld. 1886 \$ 3,000,000 30,000 \$

Honkkong Fire Insur. Co., Ld. 1868 \$ 2,000,000 8,000\$

H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ld. 1866 \$ 1,562,500 12,500 \$

1886 3

6. Remember thy sitting-room and thy bed-chamber to keep them ventilated that hour's ride from here, yesterday, and I large quantities by the bex. Nextly a third thy days may be long in the land which the found telegraph poles planted on the plains of the eigarettes consumed here are of ord thy God giveth thee.

7. Thou shalt not eat hot bisquit 8. Thou shall not eat thy meat fried. 9. Thou shall not swallow thy food unchawed, or highly spiced, or, just before hard work, or just after it.

10. Thou shalt not keep late hours in thy neighbor's house, nor with thy neighbor's wife, nor his man-servant, nor his maid servant, nor his cards, nor his glass, nor with shything that is thy neighbor's. - New England Farmer.

BOOM AT JERUSALEM.

There is no doubt that Jerusalem is improving. The most of its streets are now well paved and the emitary condition of the 2. Thou shalt not make unto thee any pies city has been greatly improved. There arisen to such an extent that the holy city may be said to have a real estate boom. In 3. Remember: thy broad to bake it well, the Mediterranean Hotel where I am stonfor sale between Bethlehem and Jerusa, just outside of the gate, property has gone 5. Six days shalt thou wash and keep up within a year or so several hundred per York. Ten years ago no Englishman smok-

Value of Share.

1,500,000 1,500 \$ 1,000 \$ 200 \$ 28,711.50 \$

Share.

Capital.

1865 8 7,500,000 60,000 \$

2,000,000 24,000 8

1,000,000 5,000 £

.200,000 8,000 £

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where King David fought the Philistines American make, the rost being Turkish and and running up the hills where the shep- either made on the Continent or in London. herds watched their flock when they saw The American eigarette made from Virginia the wonderful star. ()n the same ground tobacco is rapidly growing in favor among to-day the turbaned Bethlehem shepherds Englishmen, and 15,000,000 or 20,000,000 of the nineteenth century are minding their are sold here every week, and a factory is sheep; and as I looked at their rough forms now being creeted in London by a New clad in sheep-skin coats. I wondered whe- York firm to supply the local demand.

SMOKING IN LONDON. Cigarette amoking is another habit which has not yet reached the telegraph boys and - London Corr N. Y. World. become as much of a nuisance as in New

DIVIDEND.

When paid,

Amount.

20 per cent. 35 p. ab. for year ending 30/4/60

10 per cent. fer 1888

== Tls. 26.84 and

85 per cent. for 13 m., ending 31/12/88=Tls/ 4.12 and \$5.71

8 per cent, for 5 yr. to 81/12/87 in all 6 per

14 % for 1887 &

10 % to a/o 1888

10 per cent. for

31/12/86

7 per cent. div. und

63 / for yr. end-

21 % int. div. for } 6/m. end 30/6/80 }

First year

none

First year

First year

First year

12,100.07 10% int. div. for }

326,787.88 | \$16.50 p. ab. for year | ending \$1 Dec. 1887

year ending

223,443.29 (83 p. ah. to a/c yr. 88) | Feb. 25, 89 884, buyers =25 per cent. per year

101,005.71 | 5 p. c. for 6 m. ending | Aug. 27, 89 69. / prem.,

5,481.28 | per cont. hours on old | Aug. 6, 80 539, sellers | Om. ending 30/6/89

3,344,37 (30 per cent. \$16 p. sh. | Mar. 25, 59 \$115, nom.

10 p. c. for 1887, 8 p. c. | Mar. 2, 89 \$18, nom.

{ 53°/, for yr. and-ing 31 Dec. 1887 } April 27, 89 \$161, buyers

ing 31 Dec. 1888 June, 89 16 % dis.,

ing 30 June 1889 | Sept. 23, 89 873, sellers

First year July 30, 89 nominal

6m. end. 30/8/89 } Aug. 26, 89 \$245, sales

84 per share=16 per cent. per unnum paid der First 6 m. ending Dec. 22, 88 \$200, nom.

POSITION PER LAST REPORT.

At credit of

working ale, or

But, Bro't find.

\$ 386,891.82

estimated to

30 June 88

231,343.91

15,285,84

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estimated to

to of Dec. 1288

Dr. 6 18,466,46

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Reserve

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650,000 8

Tls. 75,914.31 Tls.

304,000

115,000

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13,000

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50 Ts. 320,000.00 Tls. 578,921.76

I drove out to Bethlehom, which lies an ty-nine organettes. They are also sold in

ther the bright star of the electric light Straight-lased Englishmen of the old might not some time appear in their own school object to promischous smoking, as little town and on the tower of David which it is known in the United States, and in looks down upon them from Jerusalem of every large club in London there is a room to-day. Bethichem has many new houses. set apart, generally on the top of the house. There is a good road now to Hebron, and where the habit may be indulged. It would the day will probably soon be when you can be a beingus offense to attempt to smoke in travel over the holy land in a carriage, the during room or in one of the halls. Jerusalem, for the first time in its history, This arrangement, however, does not suit has a police force, and its order is now as. Englishmen of the younger generation, and good as that of Philadelphia. It has fairly in several of the West End clubs where the good hotels, and the town is awakened old fogies predominate; they have organized every morning by the bugle call of the mo- a determined movement for the enlargedern Turkish band. The American flag ment of the club smoking facilities. Failing floats from the roof of the consular building in this, one or two clubs have been started on the top of Mount Zion, and you find on where the members can amoke all over the its atreets travelers from all parts of the house except in one room. So general has world, Jerusalem Corr. Phildelphia Press. the habit become in London that men now smoke upon the fashionable promenades. even in Hyde Park on Sunday morning. and at the door of every club and every fashionable shop a lamp is kept burning is rapidly spreading in London, though it that the smokers may fire up upon emerging.

> WHY HE DID NOT GO TO THE HOSPITAL.

HE COULD LEAP THROUGH THE AIR. My object in writing in two-fold: to within thy gates. For in six days man raph line now runs from here to the sea don is that cigarettes are sold by weight, press my gratitude for a great benefit, and or God only knows how long. Right at sweats and gathers filth and bacteria enough coast and a railroad company has been or- These made of Turkish tobacco range in to tell a short story which cannot fail to this point I had a thought flash across my for disease : wherefore, the Lord has bles. ganized to build a line from Jaffa to Joru- price from 18c to 37¢ per ounce, and when interest the feelings of many others. It is mind like a streak of sunshine in a cloudy of the ordinary size this means about twen- all about myself, but I have remarked that

CASE QUOTATIONS.

Highest.

DUBING CURRENT WEEK.

Lowest.

Hongkong, Saturday Noon, 28th September, 1889.

Closing.

[30/ for | year to 30/6/] Aug. 26, 89 182 % prem., 183 % prem. 177 % prem.

Oct: 11, 88 81021, sellers

Sept. 10, 89 \$73, ex div.,

April 27, 89 Tls. 335, h'ere

Jan. 18, 89 Tls. 90, sellers

April 3, 88 \$150, nom.

Jan. 2, 89 3135, sales

April 1, 89 323, nom,

Feb. 26, 89 \$3821, buyers

July 27, 89 \$164, buyers

\$125, sales

324, sales

84. sellers

\$6, sellers

\$525, sales

858. nom

258. nom

\$45, nom.

\$161, buyers

himself he is all the more likely to be of use to his follow-creatures. To begin, then, you must know I had long been more or less subject to attacks of bronchitis, a complaint that you are sware is very common and troublesome in Great Britain in certain seasons of the year. Some months ago I had a very severe turn of it. worse, I think, than I ever had before. I was probably brought on by my catching gold, as we are all apt to do when we least expect it. Weeks passed by and trouble proved to be very obstinate. would not yield to medicine, and as I also began to have violent racking pains in imbs and back. I became greatly slarmed could neither cat nor sleep. If I had been a feeble, sickly man, I should have thought less strangely of it; but as, on contrary. I was hearty and robust, I feared some new and terrible thing had got hold of me, which might make my strength of no avail against it. I say, that was, the way I thought.

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Presently I could not even lie down for the pain all over my body. I asked my doctor what he thought of my condition, and he frankly said. 'I am sorry to have to tell you that you are getting worse! This so frightened my friends, as well as myself, that they said Thomas, you must go to the Hospital: it may be your only chance for

But I didn't want to go to the hospital. Who does, when he thicks he can possibly get along without doing it? I am a labouring man, with a large family depending on me for support, and I might almost as well be in my grave as to be laid on my back in a hospital unable to lift a hand for months. day. I had heard and read a good deal about Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and I resolved, before consenting to be taken to the hospital, I would try that well-known remedy. On this I gave up the doctor's medicine and began taking the Syrup. Mark the wonderful result I had taken but three doses within twenty-four hours when I was soized with a fit of coughing. and threw up the phlegm and mucus off my chest by the mouthful. The Syrup had loosened and broken it up. Continuing with the Syrup, the racking pain, which I believe came from the bitter and poison humours in my blood and joints, soon left me entirely, and I felt like going to sleep, and I did sleep sound and quiet. Then felt hungry, with a natural appetite, and as I ate I soon got strong and well.

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In a week I was able to go to my work again. It doesn't seem possible, yet it is true, and the neighbours know it. There are plenty of witnesses to prove it. And, therefore, when I say I preach the good news of the great power of Seigel's Syrup to cure pain and disease far and wide, nobody will wonder at me.

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